

The Writing Center

The Writing Center will foster an active writing community for all members of Souhegan High School. The Writing Center will:

- Provide enhancement for those who enjoy the writing process.
- Create opportunities for student writers to work with experts.
- Maintain relationship with NH Artists in Residence, NH Writing Project, NH Council for the Humanities and other appropriate organizations.
- Encourage and assist students and teachers in submitting work for publication.
- Sponsor celebrations of writing.
- Maintain periodical collection for writers.
- Establish and support a Writing Fellows Program for Souhegan students.
- Provide support for those who struggle with the writing process.
- Encourage students to share drafts or receive help in getting started.
- Encourage on-line assistance.
- Provide support for classroom teachers.
- Assist classroom teachers with conferences and assessment.
- Maintain files of major assessments and assessment strategies.
- Maintain effective relationships with other writing programs within SAU 39.
- Monitor student progress in writing strands of NH State Test.
- Provide outreach to the residents of Mt. Vernon and Amherst through writing workshops for senior citizens, adult/student groups.
- Develop a common understanding of effective writing practices across disciplines.
- Develop a common language for writing assessment.
- Serve as a resource for teachers and students.